

COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

Board of Education Agenda



Date of Meeting: November 17, 2004

Time: As Shown

Location: Conference Rooms C & D, James Monroe State Office Building
101 North 14th Street, Richmond, Virginia

9:00 a.m. FULL BOARD CONVENES

Moment of Silence

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Minutes of the October 28, 2004, Meeting of the Board

Public Comment

Action/Discussion on Board of Education Regulations

- A. Final Review of Proposed Revisions to the Regulations Governing Scoliosis Screening Programs (8 VAC 20-690-10 et seq.)

Action/Discussion Items

- B. First Review of a Proposal Regarding Establishing Standards of Learning Testing Windows
- C. Final Review of an Advisory Board on Teacher Education and Licensure (ABTEL) Recommendation Supporting a Proposed Cut-Score for the School Leaders Licensure Assessment (SLLA)
- D. Final Review of Proposed Revisions to the Standards of Quality
- E. Final Review of the Board of Education's *2004 Annual Report on the Condition and Needs of the Public Schools in Virginia*
- F. Final Review of Pupil Transportation Specifications for School Buses

Reports

- G. Status Report on the PASS Program
- H. Report on the Development of a Template for a Statewide Articulation Agreement for Career and Technical Education in Compliance with HJR 125

DISCUSSION OF CURRENT ISSUES - by Board of Education Members and Superintendent of Public Instruction

ADJOURNMENT

- I. Public Hearing On the Proposed Revisions to the Regulations Governing Adult High School Programs

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Board of Education members will meet for dinner at 6:30 p.m. at the Crowne Plaza Hotel on Tuesday, November 16, 2004. Items for the Board agenda may be discussed informally at that dinner. No votes will be taken, and it is open to the public. The Board president reserves the right to change the times listed on this agenda depending upon the time constraints during the meeting.

GUIDELINES FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

1. The Board of Education is pleased to receive public comment at each of its regular monthly meetings. In order to allow the Board sufficient time for its other business, the total time allotted to public comment will generally be limited to thirty (30) minutes. Individuals seeking to speak to the Board will be allotted three (3) minutes each.
2. Those wishing to speak to the Board should contact Dr. Margaret Roberts, Executive Assistant for Board Relations at (804) 225-2924. Normally, speakers will be scheduled in the order that their requests are received until the entire allotted time slot has been used. Where issues involving a variety of views are presented before the Board, the Board reserves the right to allocate the time available so as to insure that the Board hears from different points of view on any particular issue.
3. Speakers are urged to contact Dr. Roberts in advance of the meeting. Because of time limitations, those persons who have not previously registered to speak prior to the day of the Board meeting cannot be assured that they will have an opportunity to appear before the Board.
4. In order to make the limited time available most effective, speakers are urged to provide multiple written copies of their comments or other material amplifying their views.